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The following is extracted from a smart boy's composition on "Babies":—"The mother's heart gives 4th joy at the baby's 1st 2th."

The cholera scare in this country has been the means of the cities, towns and villages cleaning up. How true it is that "its an ill wind that does not blow somebody good."

Brick buildings going up, houses to rent scarce, good prospects for an electric railway, town well supplied with gas, the best water works in this neck of woods, and yet we are not real proud, not half as proud as some of the "Noah's gourd" towns within a certain number of miles of Reynoldsville. What we want is to comprehend our opportunity of being a city of some importance and then put our shoulders to the wheel and help it along.

Grover Cleveland's letter accepting the Democratic nomination for president, was given to the press Monday night for publication Tuesday morning. He closed his letter to the committee by saying: "If the action of the convention you represent shall be endorsed by the suffrages of my countrymen, I will assume the duties of the great office knowing full well its labors and perplexities and with humble reliance upon the Divine being, infinite in power to aid, and constant in a watchful care over our nation."

Scientists tells us of the time of greatest growth in children and of the difference in the growth between boys and girls, and certain causes are assigned for these differences. That some persons are afflicted by a malady or abnormal growth about which scientists know very little, is evident to every one. This is commonly known as the big head. It is as fatal to the usefulness of man as the big root is to the growth of cabbage. It has no particular seasons for its appearance but comes at times when it is least expected, and the person afflicted is never conscious of his malady. Let it once get hold of a man and he is unfit for pleasant, social or business intercourse. He casts a shade over every group of men that he may chance to join. Let us ever pray that we may be delivered from this affliction.—Punxsutawney News.

Thackeray, in his "English Humorists," speaks of the Congreve muse in this visionary touch: "We gaze at the skeleton, and wonder at the life which once revelled in its mad veins. We take the skull up, and muse over the frolic and daring, the wit, scorn, passion, hope, desire with which that empty bowl once fermented. We think of the glances that allured, the tears that melted, of the bright eyes that shone in those vacant sockets; and of lips whispering love, and cheeks dimpling with smiles, that once covered your ghastly yellow frame-work. They used to call those teeth pearls once. See! there's the cup she drank from, the golden-chain she wore on her neck, the vase which held the rouge for her cheeks, her looking-glass, and the harp she used to dance to. Instead of a feast we find a grave-stone, and in place of a mistress, a few bones!"

"Your American women rule the men" said a foreigner to me in Europe last summer contemptuously, and I told him that the American man was conscious of the fact, and what was more, he was proud of it, writes Edward W. Bok in the September Ladies' Home Journal. Let the American women continue to rule as they have done in the future. Womanly wisdom is strong, and womanly instincts always point to the interests of a man. Where he will unconsciously run himself, women will save him. She led him out of the garden of Eden and she will lead him back again. She is better in her nature to-day; she is stronger in her character; she is purer in her love and warmer in her affection than she ever was, and if ever there was a time in the history of the world when woman could act as man's best helpmate, as his safest advisor, as his loyal friend, it is to-day, and I pity that man who lacks faith in her or is unwilling to put his trust in her wisdom and goodness. She will be to him what his strongest or most intimate man-friend can never be. She is the surest and safest refuge for a man in time of trouble. Her heart is the most sympathetic spot against which to press, her arms form the downiest pillow for a tired head, while from her breast wells forth that love and affection for him of which woman's nature is alone capable, and to which man is an utter stranger. A man will be a hero for the woman he esteems, but a woman will be a martyr for the man she loves.

## Curt Reed's Patent.

(Falls Creek Herald.)

Curt Reed of this place, is the inventor of a little device that if it does not make him rich should at least make some money for him. It is a clamp for tightening the chain around a load of lumber and can be fastened and put in place quicker than it takes to tell it. It is a very simple device and can be sold very cheap, which will probably make a ready market for it. Mr. Reed's is no infringement on any other patent and is entirely original.

## Damages for a Shock.

(Punxsutawney Spirit.)

In the Clearfield county court last week Mrs. Sally McClosky was awarded \$6,035 from the Bell's Gap Railroad Company for injuries alleged to have been sustained during the coupling of a passenger train at Coalport on October 21, 1886. The shock received by the women resulted in spinal disease, from which she never recovered, and suit was brought against the company for damages. The case was tried last week before Judge Krebs, with the result stated.

## There is But One Way.

(Punxsutawney Spirit.)

There is only one way to advertise, and that is through newspapers. You may disfigure barns and fences and rocks along the country roads, waste your money on so-called business charts, and all that sort of thing, and vainly imagine you are advertising. But you are not. The newspaper that every week visits thousands of homes, and is looked upon by its readers as a reliable friend and advisor is the medium through which the wide-awake business man will speak to the people. Quick advertising—the kind you bite on when a stranger comes around with a "great scheme," is like quick medicine—the less you take of it the better. The man who appreciates the value of newspaper advertising, and who has the business instinct to know that all other methods are spurious, is the man who meets with success.

Robinson has best line of men's and boys boots in Reynoldsville.

## The Schools are Opening.

School teachers everywhere would heartily commend the following item to all parents who are sending children to school. The item is taken from the Phillipsburg Ledger and speaks for itself:—"The schools all over the country are opening, and in a short time all will be in full swing for the winter's work, the success of which will largely depend on the parents or patrons of the schools. The prime request to successful school work is obedience—intelligent obedience—and this is not possible unless the teacher's authority is sustained by the parents. In nine cases out of ten in a disagreement between teacher and pupil a careful investigation will prove the teacher in the right and parents should always make this investigation before opposing the teacher. A thorough acquaintance with the school and the teacher is always desirable and can be made possible in most cases, and will certainly pay any parent, especially if his child be inclined to rebel against the teacher and complain of injustice. No doubt there are teachers naturally capricious and given to partiality, but they are rare, and the favored pupil is usually the obedient, industrious scholar, and this kind of favoritism is within the reach of all who strive to win it. Let any parent consider the difficulty encountered in governing a few children in one family and then multiply that number and those difficulties by ten or even more and he'll wonder that justice is as common as it is. Preach and teach obedience to lawful authority and smooth the path for teachers and taught. Rebellion is a dangerous thing."

As a general rule, it is best not to correct costiveness by the use of saline or drastic medicines. When a purgative is needed, the most prompt, effective, and beneficial is Ayer's Pills. Their tendency is to restore and not weaken, the normal action of the bowels.

FOR RENT—Two store rooms 20x50 feet opposite Hotel Belnap. Enquire of J. H. Corbett.

Don't fail to see Robinson's \$2.00 shoes.

## To Our Patrons.

Having dissolved partnership, it is necessary that all outstanding accounts be settled before the 1st of November, 1892, to save trouble thereafter. People knowing themselves indebted to us, will please respond to the above notice.

THOMAS BROS.

## Wanted.

Everybody to buy \$10.00 worth of goods and get the *Geoform Magazine* for a year free as it is full of useful reading matter on many subjects of interest to the old and young.

Call and see a copy.  
J. C. KING & CO.

## Valuable Real Estate for Sale.

The Baptist church and grounds containing several lots situated in Prescottville is now offered for sale. Very desirable for resident lots. For terms and particulars enquire of M. M. Davis, Reynoldsville, Pa.

## For Sale.

A well finished house, suitable for a boarding house, in Prescottville. For further particulars, inquire at Cam, Mitchell's office, or at the office of the secretary of the Reynoldsville Building and Loan Association.

## For Sale.

Celebrated Caledonia sand. No sifting required. Tom McKernan, Drayman.

## Drifting with the Cbce.

REED—JUSTHAM—On Wednesday, Sept. 21st, 1892, at the home of the groom on Railroad street, by Rev. W. P. Murray, Ralph Reed and Grace Justham.

PLYLER—WARNER—On Wednesday, September 21st, 1892, by Rev. Jas. H. Jelbert at the M. E. parsonage at Emrickville, Pa., Harry M. Plyler and Belle Warner, of Bells Mills, Pa.

## DIED.

MCCREIGHT—On Sunday, Sept. 25th, 1892, of cholera infantum, Alberta Genevieve McCreight, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McCreight, of Paradise Settlement, aged 9 months and 29 days. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. G. Furby at 3:00 P. M., Sept. 27th, and remains were interred in the family cemetery.

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GEO. W. STOKES, JR.,  
BELL BROTHERS.

## KNOW ME BY MY WORKS



The Exposition in Pittsburg is open but the wonders of the world are on exhibition at 47 Ohio St., Allegheny City. I challenge the world to show such an exhibition of cures of tape worms, cancer, catarrh, scrofula, and all blood diseases as I can. System Renovator, the world's wonder, for sale at all drug stores, 6 bottles for \$5.00 and a printed prescription that I warrant to cure La Grippe, with every 1/2 dozen bought at 47 Ohio St., during the exposition. System Renovator has no equal as a blood purifier. Office open from 8 A. M. until 5 P. M. Send stamp for circular.  
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